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Their faith in the promising future of our college has been an inspiring example to each student and teacher, as well as to the citizens of our community. We are deeply appreciative of their interest in, and unflagging efforts toward, a bigger and better Asheville-Biltmore College.

Alma Mater Hail!

Hail to thee, our Alma Mater,
Raise thy banners high;
Mighty Asheville-Biltmore College
Shall not ever die!

Chorus:

Honor, glory, praise we bring thee,
Hallowed halls so dear;
Greater still shall rise thy virtues
With each passing year!

Hear thy sons, Oh Alma Mater,
Give their hearts in song,
Unto thee, dear Asheville-Biltmore,
Mater fair and strong.

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[Bill]

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Died January 27, 1949

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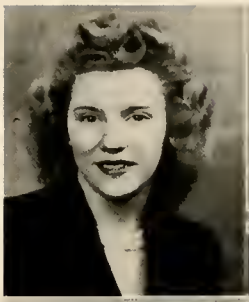

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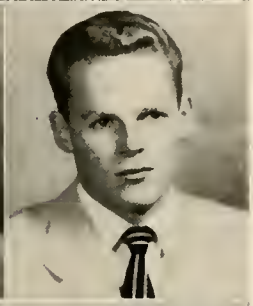

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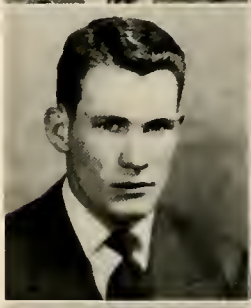

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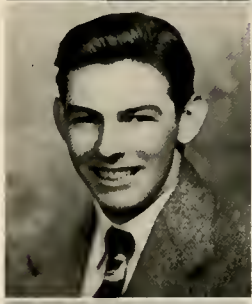

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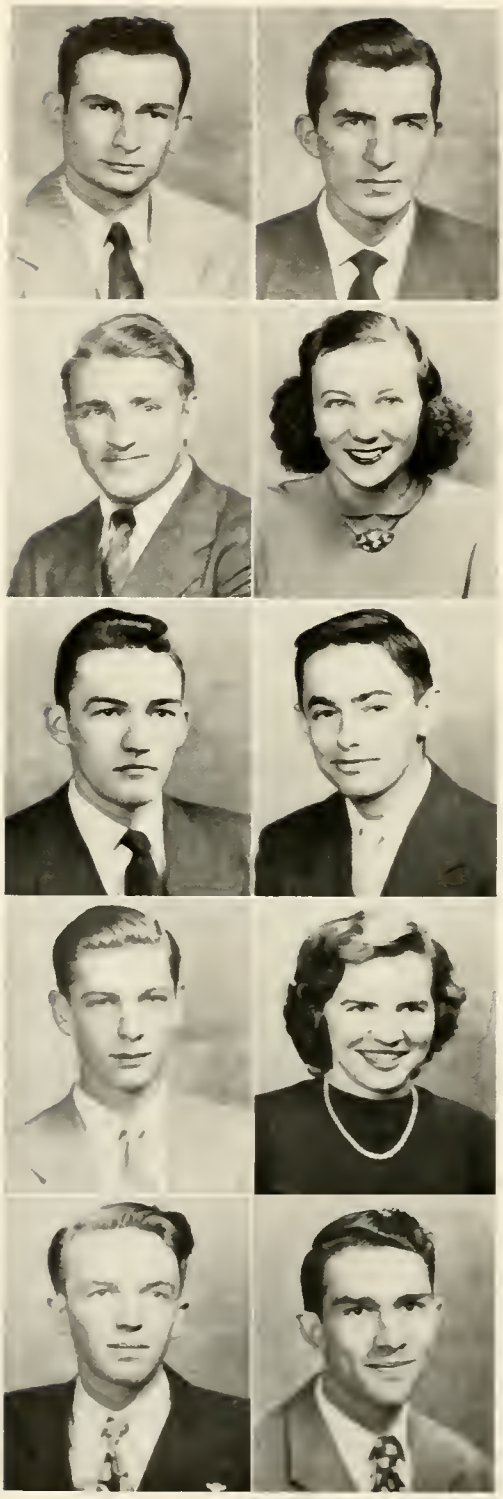

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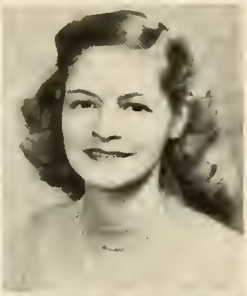

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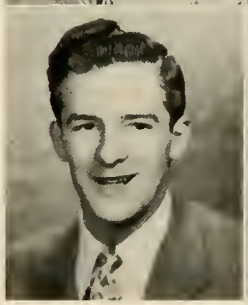

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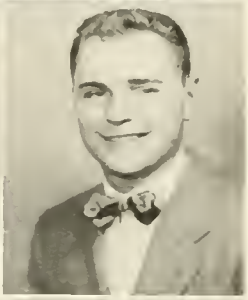

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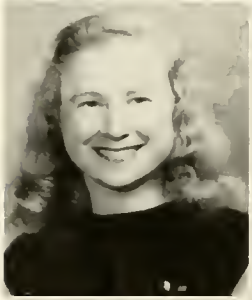

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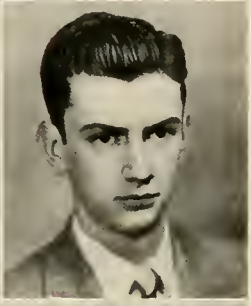

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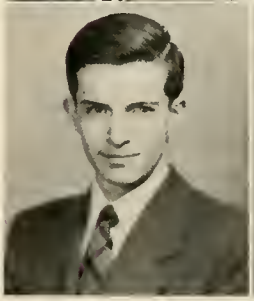

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Harvey E. Austin
Jack Brown
William B. Brown
Richard L. Capps
William T. Charnock
David B. Cheadle
Henry Everett Clontz, Jr.
Jack Connor
Edward L. Currence
Don R. Dillingham
June-Hope Dougherty
Romas Hicks Duncan, Jr.
Jack F. Gilbert
Devere C. Lentz, Jr.
Devond Maney
Leah Mann
William Mauk
Robert May
William C. Meekins, Jr.
Jack Mitchell
Grant Owen
Jack Penley
George Phillips
Alger Rainwater
James Ramsey
Jack Robinson
William Robinson
George Sarti
William Shuford
Garrett Smathers
Willard Sullivan
Glenn Taggart
Glen Ray Thomas
Robert Perry Tucker
George Robert Vines
Donald Warthen
Howard Grant Watkins
David White
Richard White
Richard B. Wynne

BEST DRESSED
Lucille Thrash, Jr.
Frank Bell, Jr.

MOST SCHOLARLY
Martha Jane Wix
Joe Schandler
(Not Pictured)

1949

BETTY COED
Barbara Holley

JOE COLLEGE
Dave Cheadle

BEST ALL-AROUND
June-Hope Dougherty
Larry Carter

MOST FRIENDLY
Ruby Sargent
Bill Dalton
(Not Pictured)

(Note: Bill Dalton was killed and Joe Schandler was called into service before pictures were made.)

Superlatives

MOST PERSONALITY
Sue Shealy
Tommy Robertson
(Not Pictured)

MOST DEPENDABLE
Peggy Crompton
Bill Meekins

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Billie Cobb
Oliver Freeman

MOST ATHLETIC
Virginia Davidson
Jack Mitchell
(Not Pictured)

MOST SCHOOL SPIRIT
Frances McIntyre
Johnny Tipton

(Note: Tommy Robertson and Jack Mitchell completed work here and entered the University of South Carolina before pictures were made.)

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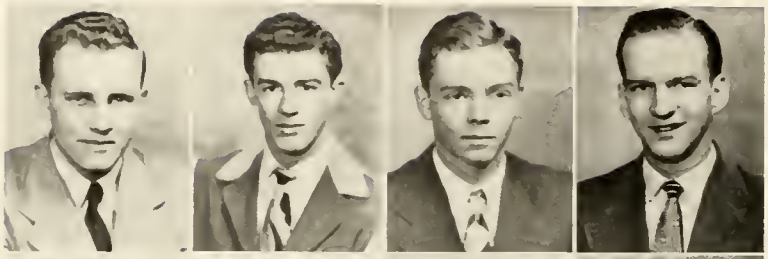

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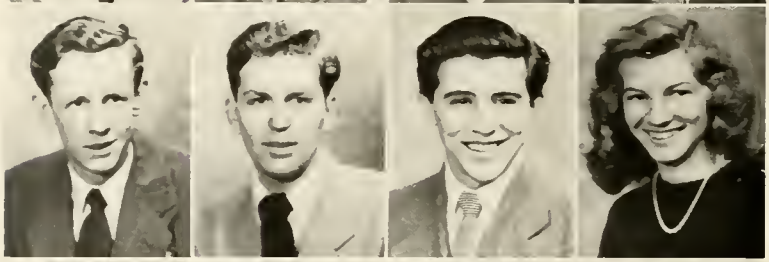
William Bridgers
Joseph A. Bunn



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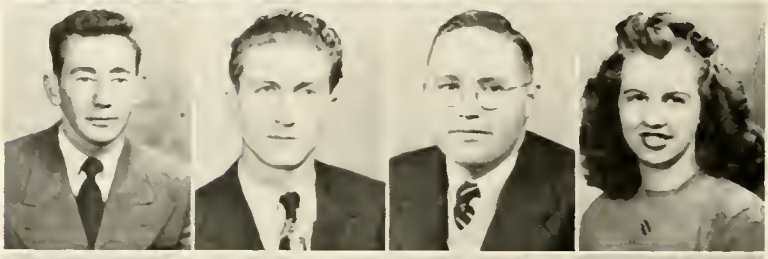
Gus James Coutlakis
Alice Gwendolyn Dalton



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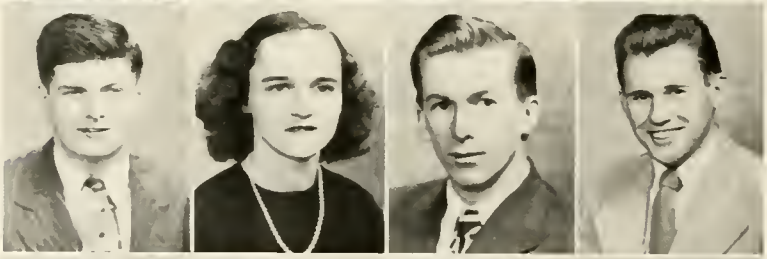
Walter Glance
Marie Gambill



Falton O. Garren
Harriet Louise Hunter
Bruce Jamerson
Alfred L. Johnson

Richard Dexter Jordan
Joseph Joyner
Joseph R. Justice
Jean Kennedy

FRESHMEN NOT PICTURED

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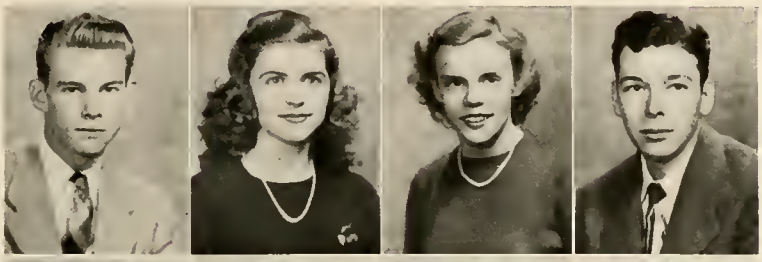

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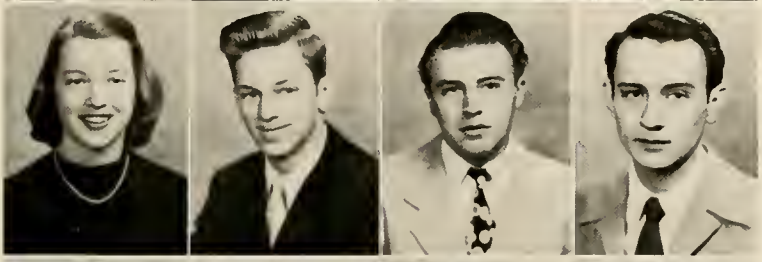

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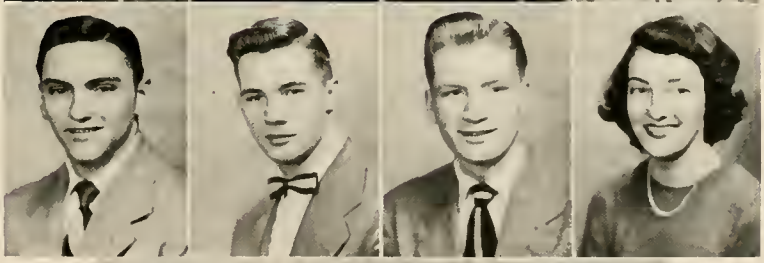

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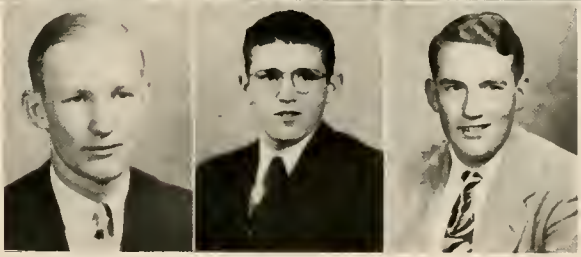

Clarence Towe
Harold L. Waters
Frank Yow

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ENGLISH CLASSIC PUCK

College Mascot

(September 7, 1944—January 3, 1949)

ACTIVITIES

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Sub-Scribe	Thomas Case	*Chaplain*	Joseph Mehaffey

OBJECTS

1. To promote math scholarship.
2. To recognize and reward outstanding math ability
3. To promote good fellowship among the members.

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Thomas Case	Walter Glance	Joseph Mehaffey	Joseph Schandler
Billie Cobb	Robert Hughes	Don Murray	Johnny Tipton
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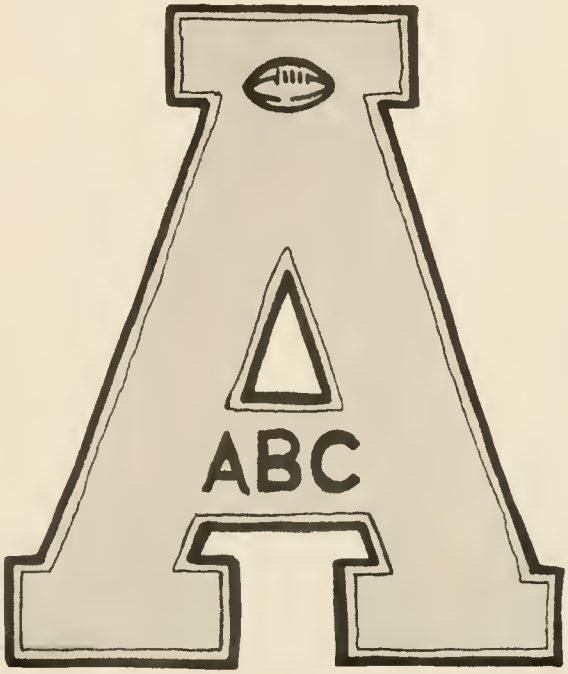

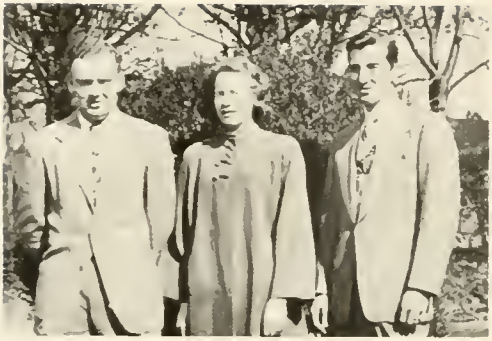

"The Weepers"

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John Wilson
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"The Weepers" are comprised of journalism students, whose admission to the club is based on scholastic achievement in the journalism classes. Its purpose is to further the social and journalistic interests of Asheville-Biltmore College.

"The Weepers"

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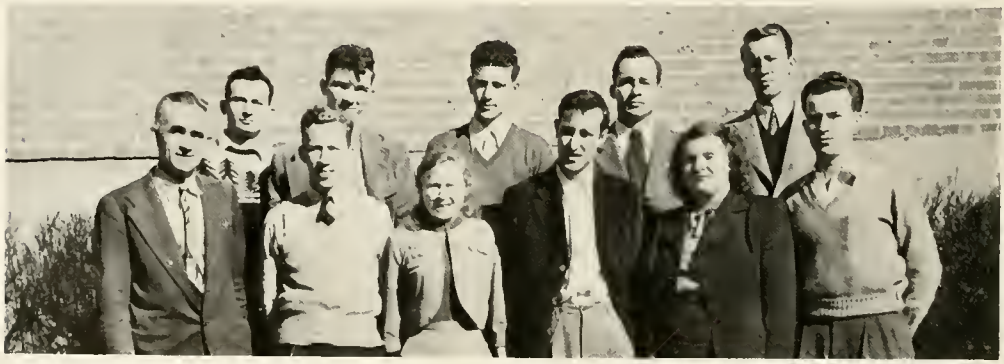

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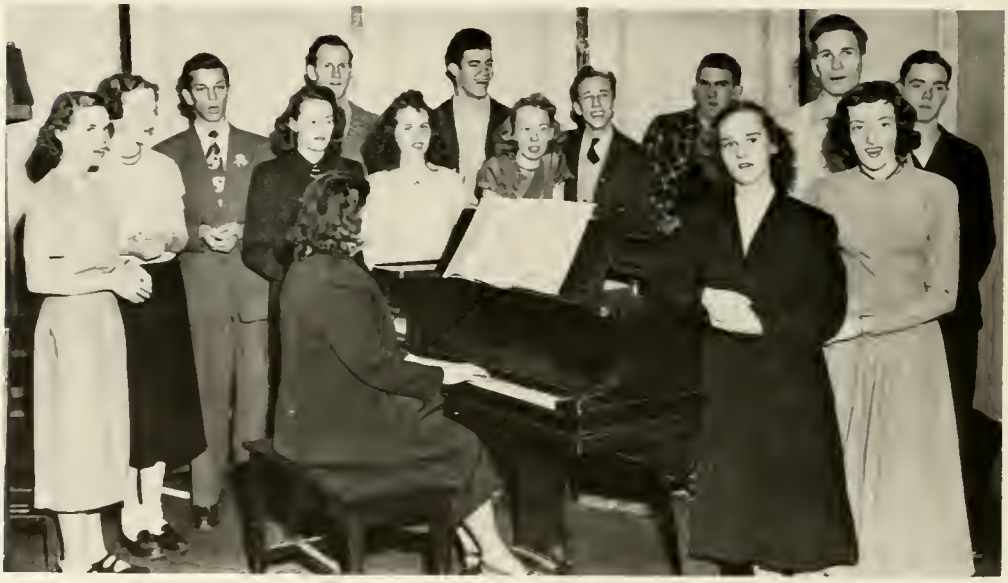

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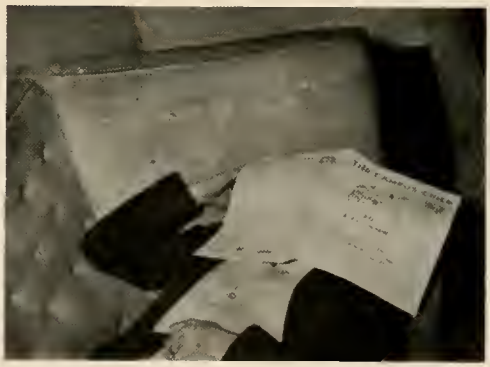

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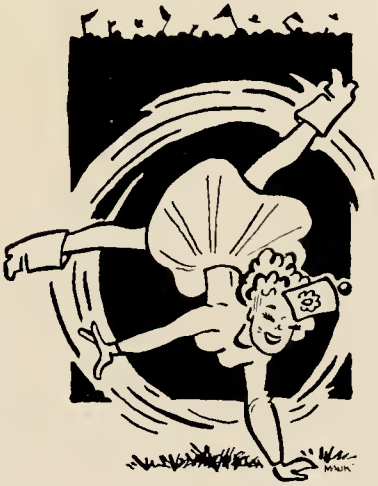

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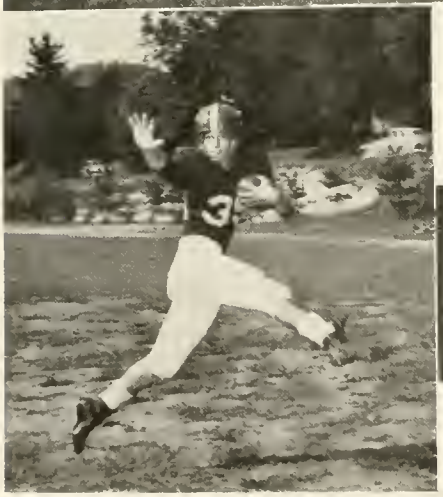

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The 1948 Bulldogs

The '48 grid machine is already becoming a legend among students, alumni and fans of Asheville-Biltmore College. Coaches Coman and Woody saw their light but aggressive Bulldogs become the second-ranking junior college eleven in the south, this honor being bestowed upon them by the Atlanta Journal, the south's number one newspaper. This is an even greater honor when you consider the size of our school compared with much larger ones which we encountered on the gridiron.

All of the south's pigskin dopesters claimed Asheville-Biltmore College was in for a poor season in '48, after losing twenty-six men off of the '47 conference winning team. The one thing which predictors failed to consider was the resourcefulness of our coaches.

The opening week of practice last August, an average bystander observing the Bulldogs would have been unimpressed by the size of the boys, but would have noted the speed and football savvy being displayed.

The Bulldogs were made up largely of county school stars, although Asheville High was well represented in Co-Captains Jack Mitchell and Ed Durner, Bob Vines, Pete Felkel, Tommy Robertson, Dave Cheadle, George Shotwell, Bill Stakias, Clyde Leeson, Chop-Chop Armstrong, Dick White, Jack Davis, Bill Dalton, Morris Shuler, and Cliff Dozier. Jack Mitchell, Durner, Cheadle and Robertson, all ex-Maroon Devils, were named on the conference All-Star Team.

Hailing from Sand Hill High School were Jack Drake, Cliff Brookshire, and Cob Yarborough. Before joining the Bulldogs, Brookshire was named most valuable player in the high schools' All-Star Optimist Bowl game. Ken Mackey and Bob Smathers joined us from Canton, Dick Powers and Larry Robinson from Waynesville, Larry Carter from Biltmore, Jack Brinkley from Oakley, George Sarti, Pete Brittain, and Jack Milbee from Black Mountain, Leslie Randall from Georgia Military College, Al Rainwater and Charles Johnson from Swannanoa, Bill Mauk from Knoxville High.

After gathering this array of football talent, Coaches Woody and Coman set out to battle nine of the south's best junior college teams and one four-year school. Using the same brand of razzle-dazzle football which the 1947 team displayed, A-B clipped off eight victories and suffered only two defeats. Lees McRae junior college downed the Bulldogs in a hard-fought contest by the score of 14-7.

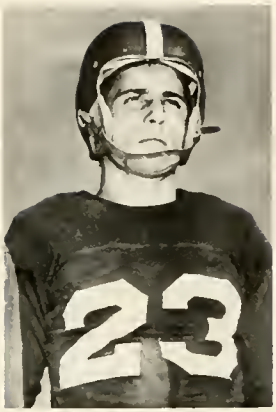
Georgia Military College handed the Bulldogs their only other loss 14-7 in a game which proved heart-breaking to A-B fans and players alike. The score was tied 7-7 and looked as if it would stay that way. However, a lost ball in our end zone turned into a GMC touchdown. It was one of those one-in-a-million breaks for the boys from Georgia. Incidentally, Georgia Military was rated number one team in the south and received an invitation to the Little Rose Bowl.

Asheville-Biltmore handed Hiwassee their only defeat by a junior college in the final game of the season, with a score of 25-18.

Hats off to our fighting Bulldogs, and thanks for a swell season!

SEASON RECORD

Gardner-Webb	0	Asheville-Biltmore	7
Brevard	0	Asheville-Biltmore	12
Lees-McRae	14	Asheville-Biltmore	7
W.C.T.C. "B"	0	Asheville-Biltmore	12
Appalachian "B"	7	Asheville-Biltmore	13
Presbyterian	6	Asheville-Biltmore	44
Mars Hill	7	Asheville-Biltmore	19
Gordon Military	7	Asheville-Biltmore	13
Georgia Military	14	Asheville-Biltmore	7
Hiwassee	18	Asheville-Biltmore	25



CO-CAPTAIN
Jack Mitchell

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Second row, left to right: Bob Vines, Bob Smathers, Charlie Johnson, Dave Cheadle, Clyde Leeson, Ed Durner, Jack Mitchell, Jack Brinkley, Lawrence Robinson, Jack Milbee, George Shotwell, Bill Dalton.

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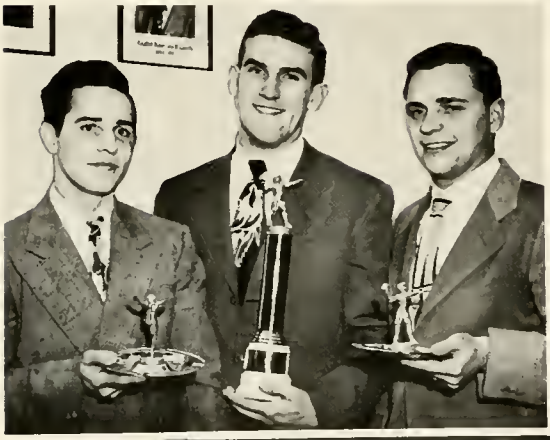

Jack Mitchell and Tommy Robertson holding Most Valuable Player awards, and Ed Durner with the Weinkler Blocking Trophy.

Third row, left to right: Coach Floyd Woody, Randall Leslie, Pete Brittain, Pete Felkel, Cliff Brookshire, Dick Powers, George Sarti, Harvey Haines, Jack Drake, Larry Carter, Don Warthen, Jack Davis, Alger Rainwater, Coach Herb Coman.

Managers (not pictured): Hank Simpson, Don Murray, and Bill Boyd.

CO-CAPTAIN
Ed Durner

Bulldogs

Jack Mitchell and Tommy Robertson receiving the Cosmic Club award from Glenn Hart.

CAPTAIN JACK BRINKLEY

Coach Floyd Woody had trudged uphill to glory on top of a mountain called "The '48 Football Season." After reaching the summit the coach had no time to rest for below lay the valley of '49 Basketball, a valley which would indeed be rough to travel - - - rough because only three lettermen returned from the '48 edition. Rudeen, an excellent guard, a dangerous net shot, and a man who could keep a team collected; Capt. Jack Brinkley, all state center and high point man; and Larry Carter, speed merchant from the gridiron, who put his speed to work on the hardwood. This was the nucleus of the '49 quintet and to round the team out the coach went to work on his green boys.

Johnny Israel was proclaimed by Woody as the most improved man on the team and he proved to be a big asset. Johnny Pitillo was going "great guns" until he received a serious eye injury in the game with Spartanburg. Bus Marlowe joined the squad but his previous court experience put him right in there. Fred Dale was usually a starter, he was a scrapper and a fine ball handler. Little Gus Colegerakiswas the surprise man of the team. Gus is only five feet five inches but he proved to be great even on rebounds. Alan Ashe, Tom Case and Joe Bunn were great relief men and Coach Woody is certainly looking forward to their return.

The Bulldog Basketeers looked sharp except for a mid-season slump which was costly. However, the scoreboard proved the Bulldogs to be near the top of the ladder. Thanks ot Coach Woody and all the players for a team of which we are very proud.

Basketball

THE SCOREBOARD

A.B.		Opponents
51	Sodaland	39
47	U. S. C. Frosh	57
56	W. C. T. C. "B"	49
51	Spartanburg	50
49	W. C. T. C. "B"	46
52	Tusculum	37
36	Lees McRae	40
54	Gardner-Webb	46
46	Mars Hill	36
37	U. S. C. Frosh	60
73	Elizabethton	18
47	C. C. U. N. C.	37
67	Brevard	63
53	Mars Hill	58
63	Spartanburg	72
37	Elizabethton	19
47	Tusculum	49
43	C. C. U. N. C.	44
58	Lees McRae	49
74	Brevard	50
47	Gardner-Webb	63
56	Campbell (Tournament)	59

COACH FLOYD WOODY

THE SQUAD

First row, left to right: John Israel, John Dalton, Harding Ellis, Fred Dale, Captain Jack Brinkley, Kenneth Rudeen. Second row, left to right: Coach Floyd Woody, Gus Colgerakis, Johnny Pittillo, Joe Bunn, Thomas Case, and Manager Don Murray. Not pictured: Larry Carter, Bus Marlowe, Alan Ashe, and Dub Thompson.

Looking Back

The Class of 1949 is very proud to have been part of one of the most eventful years in the history of Asheville-Biltmore College. While most of the time we were in the high spirits of achievement, occasionally we were thrown into depths of disappointment and loss.

After having acquired the first mascot ever to be owned by the school, a splendid pedigreed English bulldog, we were in danger of becoming unbearably proud. Anyone knowing "Puck" (as English Classic Puck was affectionately called), can readily understand this. A finer example of a true mascot is seldom seen. He loved each and every student and received more than his share of love in return.

When, on January 3rd, "Puck" died after a short illness, it was a sad crowd of students who gathered to receive the news. We didn't think at the time that anything else would ever be so hard to bear.

But, after rounding out a glorious football season and embarking on a promising basketball schedule, death struck the Bulldog ranks again, this time taking without warning one of our most popular and valuable athletes, Bill Dalton. It is still difficult for us to realize that Bill is gone. There isn't a student who doesn't miss his friendly, cheerful voice — calling out a bright greeting, bursting into sudden song, or raised in animated discussion of a particular football game. If pleasant memories mean anything, then Bill is still with us today, sharing the joys and sadness of graduation, looking forward to the time when Asheville-Biltmore College will truly have reached The Summit.

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